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CHARLESTON, ILL.--Tammy Veach, a student at Eastern Illinois University from Lerna, is a 1987 recipient of the Hobart F. Heller Scholarship and the Isabel McKinney Scholarship.

Administered through the EIU Foundation, both awards carry a stipend and certificate. The Heller Scholarship was established in honor of Dr. Heller, Vice President for Instruction and a member of the Eastern faculty for 36 years, who retired in 1967. The McKinney Scholarship was established in memory of Dr. McKinney, Head of Eastern's Department of English from 1922 to 1945.

The Heller award goes annually to a student who, by reason of scholarship, responsible character, sense of purpose, growth and service to the University community during his or her first three years, gives promise of a life of distinguished service and leadership.

The McKinney award goes annually to a person who has demonstrated high scholastic achievement and has the qualifications to enroll in the English graduate program at Eastern.